



20 E. Mills St., Columbus, NC 28722

This Week at the First Peak

November 26 – December 2, 2025 (Wed-Tue)

Here's a quick look at what's happening in the area over the next week.
You'll find additional events, info & attractions at www.firstpeaknc.com.
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Welcome! Our small-town main streets of Historic Saluda, Tryon & Columbus are open! Relax and have fun!
Check our online events calendar for upcoming events. www.firstpeaknc.com/events/



Reoccurring events (More events listed below for each day)

Historic Tryon Movie Theatre • Tryon • “Wicked: For Good” shows for 3 weeks, 11/26-12/14, Wed-Sat at 7pm plus matinees on Thu & Sun at 2:30pm. **Closed Thu 11/27.** 45 S. Trade St., Tryon, NC. 828-859-6811. www.tryontheatre.com

Tryon International Equestrian Ctr • Mill Spring • 25 International Blvd., Mill Spring, NC. www.tryon.com
• **Double Dan Horsemanship Performance** • Free. Fri 5pm. Watch a blend of horsemanship & entertainment.
• **Hunter/Jumper Schooling** • Free. Sat 2-8pm. Watch horse & rider display style & movement.

Handcrafted Holiday Market at Tryon Arts & Crafts School • Tryon • Tue-Fri 9am-4pm & Sat 9am-1pm
Purchase one-of-a-kind items from local artists through 12/18. 373 Harmon Field Rd., Tryon, NC. tryonartsandcrafts.org

Winter Extravaganza Sale at Adawehi • Columbus • Mon-Fri 10am-6pm & Sat 9am-5pm. Handmade gifts, jewelry, handbags. Gift sale continues until 12/23. 93 Adawehi Ln., Columbus, NC. 828-894-5260. www.adawehi.com

Shadrack's Christmas Light Show at Tryon Resort • Mill Spring • Nightly through Jan 4, 5-10pm. Enjoy this enormous drive-thru light show animated to music. Purchase tickets online or at the gate, starting at \$40 a car load, can upgrade. The event entrance is 3580 Pea Ridge Rd., Mill Spring, NC. See info above.

Shadrack's Christmas Light Show Carriage Rides at Tryon Resort • Mill Spring • Fri-Sun through Jan 4, 6-9pm. Enjoy this carriage ride thru the Shadrack Christmas light show animated to music. Purchase tickets online or at the gate, \$45 adult/\$35 children. The carriage rides start at The General Store. 25 Int'l Blvd., Mill Spring, NC. www.tryon.com

Winterfest Village at Tryon International Equestrian Ctr. • Mill Spring • Fri-Sun through Dec 23, 5-9pm. Enjoy photo ops, music, strolling characters, meet and greet Santa, the Whos from Whoville, & bounce house. Walk through light show included with ticket. Tickets are \$25/adult and \$20/children. Purchase online or at the gate. See above.

Live Music at Green River Eddy's Tap Room • Saluda • Free 7pm. Fri, Rick Hornyak & The Highway Companions; Sat, The Paper Crowns Electric Band; Sun 2pm, Linda Conner. 435 Main St., Saluda, NC. 828-848-4060. www.saludaoutfitters.com

Live Music at Parker-Binns Vineyard • Mill Spring • Free Music: 2-5pm. Sat, Seth and Sara; Sun, BJ Cates and Kayla McKinney. **Tastings:** Wed 12-5pm, Fri-Sun 12-6pm (closed Thanksgiving Day.) **Relish Grill** open Thu-Sun - closes 30 minutes earlier. 2275 Whiteside Rd., Mill Spring, NC. 828-894-0154. www.parkerbinnsvineyard.com

Live Music at Mountain Brook Vineyards • Green Creek • Free Music: 3pm. Sat, PJ Brunson; Sun, The Abbey Elmore Duo. **Tastings:** Mon & Wed 12-6pm, Fri-Sat 12-7pm, Sun 12-6pm (closed Thanksgiving Day.) 731 Phillips Dairy Rd., Tryon, NC. 828-722-1037. www.mountainbrookvineyards.com

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Wednesday, November 26 (more Wednesday events in reoccurring list – top of page 1)

Thanksgiving Dinner at Polk County Senior Services • Columbus • 11:30am-12:30pm. Reservations are required. Call 828-894-0001 to reserve. Enjoy turkey, stuffing and a selection of sides. 75 Carmel Lane, Columbus, NC. 

Free Trivia at Iron Key Brewing Co. • Columbus • Wed, Flight Night 4-9pm, free trivia at 7pm. 135 Locust St., Columbus, NC. 828-802-1045. www.ironkeybrewing.com 



Thursday, November 27 Happy Thanksgiving (more Thursday events in reoccurring list – top of page 1)

Zoe's Place • Columbus • 11am-1pm. Reservations are suggested – enjoy turkey, stuffing and a selection of sides. 192 E. Mills St., Columbus, NC. 828-802-1039. 

Legends Club at Tryon Int'l Equestrian Ctr. • Mill Spring • 11:30am-1:30pm. Thanksgiving meal. Reservations required – reserve at www.resort.tryon.com/events. 25 International Blvd., Tryon, NC. 828-863-1122 

Newman's Restaurant at The Orchard Inn • Saluda • 12:30-7:30pm. Enjoy the chef's finest Thanksgiving Midday Dinner. **Reservations are required.** 100 Orchard Inn, Saluda, NC. 828-749-5471. www.orchardinn.com 

The Fitzgerald • Tryon • 5pm. Enjoy a chef prepared Thanksgiving Dinner. **Reservations are required.** Call 828-513-9241 to reserve. Adults \$65/under 15 \$40/under 5 free. 69 Pacolet St., Tryon, NC. www.thefitzgeraldtryon.com 

Friday, November 28 (more Friday events in reoccurring list – top of page 1)

Wine Tasting at The Tryon Bottle • Tryon • 5-7pm. Free tastings of featured wines. Food is available for purchase from Della Street Tacos. 15 South Trade Street, Tryon, NC. 828-859-6473. www.tryonbottle.com 

Jingle Mingle Holiday Market • Tryon • 5-7pm. Visit the local shops, galleries & restaurants. Stroll through downtown and vote for your favorite creative wreath display. Downtown, Tryon, NC. www.exploretryon.com 

Live Music at The Fitz Lounge • Tryon • 6:30pm. Free live music by Masci Band. Creative small plates and beverages available for purchase. 69 Pacolet St., Tryon, NC. 828-513-9241. www.thefitzgeraldtryon.com 

Live Music at The Livery Pourhouse • Tryon • 7pm. Free music by Alma Russ. 60 Pacolet St., Tryon, NC. 

Saturday, November 29 (more Saturday events in reoccurring list – top of page 1)

Breakfast with Santa at Tryon Resort • Mill Spring • 8am-12pm. Kid-friendly breakfast buffet with Santa! Advance tickets required, \$20/child, \$35/adult, children under 5/free. www.resort.tryon.com See venue info page 1.



2nd Annual Saluda Holiday Pop Up Market at McCreery Park • Saluda • 10am-2pm. Come shop at this hometown holiday market which includes arts, crafts, gifts, music, & kids' corner. 64 Greenville St., Saluda, NC.

Paint an Ornament at Saluda Depot Museum • Saluda • Free 12-2pm. Kids and adults stop by and paint a train ornament for your Christmas tree. 32 W. Main St., Saluda, NC. 828-769-9016. www.saludadepotmuseum.org 

Live Music at The Purple Onion • Saluda • 8pm. Music by Reedy River String Band. Advance tickets required – purchase online, \$10. 16 East Main St., Saluda, NC. 828-749-1179. www.purpleonionsaluda.com 

Sunday, November 30 (more Sunday events in reoccurring list – top of page 1)

Concert at The Purple Onion • Saluda • 7pm. Music by Jack Lawrence with Adam Lawrence and Steven Davidson. Advance tickets required – purchase online, \$25. 16 East Main St., Saluda, NC. See venue information above.

Tuesday, December 2 (more Tuesday events in reoccurring list – top of page 1)

Christmas Ornament Workshop at Polk Co. Library • Columbus • Free 4:30pm. Kids, teens & adults are invited to create a take-home Christmas ornament. 1289 W. Mills St., Columbus, NC. 828-894-8721. www.polklibrary.org 

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